

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2887 - SB 2934

February 23, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Adds the offense of rape of a child to the list of offenses for which a juvenile adjudicated delinquent may be committed to the Department of Children's Services for a definite period of time.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Less Than \$100,000

Based upon the commitment to the Department of Children's Service for this offense since July 1999 and length of stay of this population, it is estimated the state expenditures for the custody of children with adjudication for this offense may increase as a result of changing from a commitment for an indefinite period of time to a definite period of time.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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